



## **Rebuild Iowa Task Force Economic and Workforce Development Proposed Meeting Agenda**

Governor Chester J. Culver  
Lt. Governor Patty Judge, RIO Executive Director

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**October 8, 2008 – 9:30 am – 3:30 pm  
Iowa Department for the Blind  
Assembly Room, 524 Fourth Street, Des Moines, IA 50309**

Welcome and Opening Comments –Michael J. Earley and Bill Gerhard, Co-chairs

- Task Force Responsibilities for Long-Term Recovery
- Scope of 120-Day Report from the Commission

Member News and Updates From Around the State – Facilitated Conversation

Progress Reports – Presentation and Discussion

- Rebuild Iowa updates
- Progress on Immediate Recommendations
  - Business tax-credits, Vince Lintz, IDED (invited)
  - Jumpstart Program, Business and housing assistance -Laura Stein, IDED
  - Workforce development and Disaster Assistance Program – Elizabeth Buck, IWD
- Status of Federal and State Assistance
- Other updates

Task Force Issues Review – Facilitated Discussion

- Review of 45-Day Report
- Review of Task Force Report
- New issues

Lunch Break

Identify Priority Issues for Achieving Long Term Recovery – Facilitated Discussion

Strategies to Accomplish Long Term Recovery – Facilitated Discussion

Holistic Vision for Recovery: Task Force Role

Final Comments – Michael J. Earley and Bill Gerhard, Co-chairs